

# **OFFICIAL**

## **LINCOLN SCHOOL COMMITTEE**

**LINCOLN, RI 02865**

**DATE: June 12, 2006**

**TIME: 7:00pm – Monthly Meeting - Open**

**PLACE: Lincoln Town Hall**

**100 River Road, Lincoln, RI**

**SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Jeffrey Weiss, Chair; Mary Ann Roll, Vice Chair; John Zangari, Clerk; John Lafleur, Betty Robson, Gerard St. Germain and Julie Zito.**

**OTHERS IN ATTENDANCE: John Tindall-Gibson, Superintendent, Lori Miller, Georgia Fortunato, Angelo Mencucci, Ben Scungio, Bob Martin, and Melinda Smith.**

**Weiss reported out that there were no votes taken in Executive Session.**

**Motion by Zangari to open meeting. Seconded by St. Germain. All in favor. Motion carried.**

**Right to be Heard**

**Caroline Sparhawk, grade 1 teacher at NELC reported out the newest enrollment numbers. 14 new grade 1 registrations for a total of 102.**

### **Approval of Minutes**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve the May 15, 2006 Executive Session minutes, the May 15, 2006 Monthly Meeting minutes, and the approval of the May 22, 2006 Monthly Meeting minutes. Seconded by Robson. All in favor. Motion carried.**

### **Superintendent's Report**

#### **Recognition of Retirees**

**Bob Martin recognized teachers from Lincoln High School: Mary Boyaj, Walter Drapala, Richard Morrissey, and Claudia Zajchowski. Melinda Smith recognized Louise Fleury and Katherine Jacobs. Bruce Macksoud recognized Armand Lussier. John Tindall-Gibson recognized Claudia Zajchowski for Joyce Krabach.**

**Weiss recognized Representative Renee Menard who was in the audience.**

#### **Recognition of Students**

**Bob Martin recognized Lincoln High School students for their accomplishments. List of names is attached.**

### **Sign Proposal for FELC**

**Melinda Smith said Mrs. Marinis' class has embarked on a**

problem-based learning adventure. The children have designed a parking lot proposal for the School Committee's approval. Smith recognized Kelly Marini. Zito made motion to approve the FELC sign. St. Germain asked for a point of order. He said this plan was not on the agenda. It was a presentation. Ben Scungio, Esq. said it was fine the way it was posted on the agenda. Seconded by St. Germain. Zangari asked where the sign is going. Zito said when the redesign of the Fairlawn parking occurred, there was a dead space in one portion of the lot that was not drivable. This is where the sign will go. All in favor. Motion carried.

Weiss announced a five-minute recess for anyone who would like to leave, could do so.

### **Nurse Presentation**

Georgia Fortunato asked the district nurses to present a presentation to the Committee as to what they do in the district. Cathy Villeneuve, Central Elementary, introduced Rhonda Sexton, Lincoln High School; Nancy Plummer, Lincoln Middle School; Rita Kinniburgh, NELC; Linda Newbury, Northern Elementary; Maryann Mignacca, FELC; Robert Ryan, Saylesville Elementary, Jan Boucher, Lonsdale Elementary.

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### **Review of School-Based Public Access Defibrillation Program**

**Rhonda Sexton discussed the draft policy. She will come back to the School Committee and ask them to adopt the policy. The policy was developed with the Lincoln Rescue, the American Heart Association Guidelines, and the school physician. They also considered the manufacturer guidelines. Weiss said because it is going to be approved as a school policy, it should be structurally changed. For example, the names of people should not be in the policy. The specific medical aspects should be a separate document. He believes the policy should set up the team structure and the team structure is responsible for maintaining a living document, i.e., the medical procedures associated with these devices.**

### **Adoption of Science Textbooks**

**John Tindall-Gibson introduced Stephen Martin, Science Department of Lincoln High School. Martin said this involves replacing all of the textbooks in grades 7, 8, and 10. We are working with some very outdated textbooks. We will be receiving the ancillary material for no charge. Weiss asked Martin to describe the process used to choose these textbooks. Textbooks companies had to send in their textbooks. Teachers reviewed the books. In most instances, they went with the same books, just updated books because they believe**

they are the best textbooks out there. Roll said normally curriculum work is done first and a textbook decision is made after that. She asked if we will run into any difficulties by reversing this process. Martin said we don't expect to see wholesale changes in the science curriculum. We expect to see a working document in place. We have a science curriculum that was finalized in 1998. It's not a document that can be shared with a first year teacher and say this is the document that we currently have in place and come see me if you have any questions. The format for the curriculum is drastically different today. Roll is concerned that we have a textbook that is in service for a while. Weiss wants to review the books prior to approval. Martin said he will get the books and bring to the Superintendent's office. Zito also thinks the Director of Curriculum and Development should be involved in the final decision.

#### **Energy Education, Inc. Contract Approval**

John Tindall-Gibson introduced Arthur Campbell. Campbell said they have about 20 years experience, 750 school districts, 11,000 plus schools, and millions of students. He has seen it in operation in a district for which he has formerly served. It is currently in 10 RI districts at this time and the number is growing. He was told that out of the 750 districts, 100 of them could have companion contracts with Honeywell or someone else. Weiss asked Scungio if he had any experience with any of his districts piggy backing between Honeywell or EEI. Burrillville has it, as well as, Smithfield and South Kingstown. Weiss said there should be a motion to approve this with the

stipulation that the language be reviewed by Scungio and company. Scungio said the Savings Matrix should also be attached to the Energy Education Inc. contract. Motion by St. Germain to accept the contract from Energy Education Inc., dated September 25, 2005, with the Savings Matrix attached to it after the issue has been worked out between Scungio and EEI's attorney re: companion contracts. Seconded by Zito. All in favor. Motion carried.

### **Update on Capital Projects**

John Tindall-Gibson said at the June 26, 2006 meeting, we will be asking the Committee to approve a number of bids. Mencucci gave a run down on the RFPs. Zangari asked if the 1 ton dump truck was changed to diesel. Mencucci said yes it has been changed.

### **Transfer of Telephone System to Capital Reserve Fund**

Lori Miller discussed this. She said in the Technology Budget there is \$145K. \$60K of it is to upgrade the phone system. The computer equipment is not reimbursable but the phone system is because it is a permanent upgrade to our buildings. At this point, if we pay for it through out General Fund, we would not be eligible for reimbursement. Motion by St. Germain to approve funds of \$60K. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Memorandum of Agreement – Guidance.** This will be placed on the June 26, 2006 agenda.

## **Approval of Amended Secretary I/Bookkeeper Job Description**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Roll. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

## **Approval of Revised SPED Coordinator/Department Head Job Description**

**Georgia Fortunato said “Administrative duties” was removed from job description. Motion to approve by St. Germain. Seconded by Zito. All in favor. Motion carried.**

## **Approval of Revised Guidance Coordinator/Department Head Job Description – This will be placed on the June 26, 2006 agenda.**

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## **Increase High School Science Graduation Requirements**

**Weiss asked Stephen Martin if we are planning any AP Physics to follow. Martin said Physics will be offered to the ninth grades, Chemistry to the tenth grades, and Biology to the eleventh grades. That leaves the senior year for electives. There are a number of electives he would like to offer. Two of them being AP Chemistry and AP Physics. He would also like to offer a Forensic Science class. There is an Environmental Science class on the books but they have not been pushing it with the students. As more students enroll in**

Science, the Physics First grant will not be enough to cover the cost, so the Science Department will be looking to the School Committee for support. This will probably start next year. Weiss asked if the normal Physics program is still available. Martin said yes it is. Zangari asked if we require three credits for graduation in Science, where is that credit coming from. Bob Martin said it is based on the student's program of studies. It would result in a reduction of an elective course. Tom Reeve said there are currently 269 eleventh graders, and of them, 239 are already enrolled in eleventh grade Science – 89%. Eighty-nine percent of eleventh graders are already choosing to use one of their electives. Bob Martin said the Wheels For Learning Program will coincide with the Physics First. Stephen Martin said Lincoln is in the minority. Most public schools have three years of Science at their secondary level. Motion by Zito to approve. Seconded by Robson. All in favor. Motion carried.

#### **Approval of 2006 – 2007 School Committee Meetings Calendar**

John Tindall-Gibson presented the 2006 – 2007 School Committee Calendar. Robson said August 14th is a holiday in Rhode Island. August 15th is the agreed upon date and will be held at the Administration Building. Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Robson. All in favor. Motion carried.

#### **Budget and Staffing Report**

John Tindall-Gibson said there is a Budget Reconciliation in the packet. This supports the recommendation that we reduce a first



grade position at Fairlawn. Also, should we need to reinstate the position at Fairlawn based upon numbers, funding for that position would come from eliminating supplies, services, etc. There is also a list of items that would be eliminated to provide funding for supplying a second first grade teacher at our other ELC. Should we need to reinstate that position and/or the position that has been eliminated in the first grade at Northern, we would be able to do it and this is where the money would come from. There is also a recommendation that we do fund a secretarial position in the Central Office which is what the job description the Committee approved tonight is for. That is a slightly different position than the receptionist position which the Budget Board had recommended that we eliminate. Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor. Motion carried.

### **Business Manager Report**

Lori Miller presented the Monthly Financial Report. Page 1, Object Code 100. The Substitute teacher line is in the hole for \$113K. This does not include the June 8, 2006 payroll. Another \$30K will be added on June 22, 2006 payroll and an additional \$15k to wrap things up. This will be almost \$200K in the hole. Miller said this is less of a deficit than last year. We have budgeted \$400K this year. The Bus Monitor line is not over spent. There is money in the Assistant Superintendent line because we didn't fund that position which be used to offset some of the Sick Leave Expenditures. Line item #200, page 5 – Health Insurance line is at \$494K in the hole. We had

projected \$475K. Unemployment line looks good because we only have two more bills to pay. It looks like we will have a positive balance in that line. Term Life will be a little bit more expensive. We have a .4¢ increase per thousand in July that was not anticipated. Page 7, 300 series – Tuition is showing a \$6K positive variance. Purchased Services will have more expenses. We budgeted \$450K for the 2006 – 2007 year. Weiss asked Miller if she thinks we can still come out with a zero balance at the end of the year? Miller said yes, overall. Miller said the reason why we do not have the \$10K positive variance is because she had projected \$475K on the Health Insurance and it went to \$494K.

**Civic Use of Buildings – None**

**Personnel Recommendations**

**Resignation**

**a. Paula Bradshaw    From: Teacher Assistant – NELC  
51 Blueberry Lane    Effective: June 21, 2006  
Cranston, RI 02921**

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**b. Susan Montella-Jelley From: 1.0 Social Worker – Systemwide  
270 John Ressa Drive Effective: June 21, 2006  
North Attleboro, MA 02763**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

### **Summer Literacy Appointments**

**a. Melissa Goho To: Grade K Teacher (job share) - Saylesville  
9 Samuel Stephens Drive Effective: June 27, 2006 to July 27, 2007  
Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: \$41/hr.**

**b. Kathy Plante To: Grade K Teacher (job share) - Saylesville  
15 Burlingame Road Effective: June 27, 2006 to July 27, 2006  
Smithfield, RI 02917 Salary: \$41/hr.**

**c. Laurie-Jean Ciosek To: Grade 1 Teacher – Saylesville  
366 High Street Effective: June 27, 2006 to July 27, 2006  
Cumberland, RI 02864 Salary: \$41/hr.**

**d. Susan Caswell To: Grade K Teacher Assistant– Saylesville  
57 Riverside Drive Effective: June 27, 2006 to July 27, 2006  
Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: Per Contract**

**e. Donna Ferrante    To: Grade 1 – Teacher Assistant Saylesville  
24 Ballou Avenue    Effective: June 27, 2007 to July 27, 2006  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: Per Contract**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zito. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

### **ESY Appointments**

**a. Colleen Boisvert    To: ESY teacher - NELC  
3 Cider Mill Lane    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$2,880.00**

**b. Kathleen Dowling    To: ESY teacher - NELC  
1 Florence Street    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**North Providence, RI 02904    Salary: \$2,880.00**

**c. Catherine Smith    To: ESY teacher - NELC  
7 MacLaine Drive    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**North Providence, RI 02904    Salary: \$2,880.00**

**d. Tracy Hastings    To: ESY teacher -NELC**

**4 Arnold Street    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$2,880.00**

**e. Christina McCormick    To: ESY teacher - NELC**

**34 Clyde Street    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Pawtucket, RI 02860    Salary: \$2,880.00**

**f. Brooke Ensign    To: ESY teacher - NELC**

**3 Highland Street    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$2,880.00**

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**g. Joanna Fagnoli To: ESY teacher - NELC**

**14 Countryside Drive Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Johnston, RI 02919 Salary: \$2,880.00**

**h. Kelly Burrows To: ESY teacher - Middle School**

**10 B Lincoln Street Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Smithfield, RI 02917 Salary: \$4,320.00**

**i. Christopher Jones To: ESY teacher - Middle School**

**152 Vincent Ave. Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**No. Providence, RI 02904 Salary: \$4,320.00**

**k. Patricia Kilsey To: ESY teacher – High School teacher**

**20 Sylvia Lane Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: \$4,320.00**

**l. Catherine Villeneuve To: ESY Program Nurse - Systemwide**

**45 Enfield Street Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Pawtucket, RI 02861 Salary: \$4,320.00**

**j. Amy Fregeau    To: Speech/Language Path. - Systemwide  
3 Rockledge Ave.    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$4,320.00**

**k. Melissa Alschuler    To: Speech/Language Path. - Systemwide  
63 Federal Road    Effective:                July 5, 2006 to August 11th,  
2006**

**Barrington, RI 02806    Salary: \$4,320.00**

**l. Anne Bibeault                To: Occupational Therapist - Systemwide  
34 Marion Ave.    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Cranston, RI 02905    Salary: \$4,320.00**

**m. Donna McShane    To: Teacher Assistant - NELC  
1436 Louisquisset Pike    Effective    July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: per contract**

**n. Meg Brandt                                To: Teacher Assistant - NELC  
8 Laurel Lane    Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: per contract**

**o. Karen Votta To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**22 Washington Street Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**No. Providence, RI 02904 Salary: per contract**

**p. Kelly Larivere To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**72 Whipple Road Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Smithfield, RI 02917 Salary: per contract**

**q. Rose Reopell To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**5 Whalen Drive Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: per contract**

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**r. Paulette DuBois To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**1000 Lower River Road Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: per contract**



**s. Brenda Wooten To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**34 Walker Avenue Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: per contract**

**t. Irene Chin To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**11 Stonehenge Dr. Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Greenville, RI 02828 Salary: per contract**

**u. Jolene Rogers To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**82 Rhode Island Ave. Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Cumberland, RI 02864 Salary: per contract**

**v. Jeanne Lafond To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**342 Old River Road Effective: July 5th, 2006 to August 11th, 2006**

**Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: per contract**

**w. Robin St. Pierre To: Teacher Assistant - NELC**

**121 Chestnut Street Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006**

**Manville, RI 02838 Salary: per contract**

**x. Cheryl McComiskey To: Teacher Assistant – MS/HS**

**54 West Cole Street   Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006  
Pawtucket, RI 02860   Salary: per contract**

**y. Mary Amaral   To: Teacher Assistant - HS**

**40 Williams Street   Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006  
Lincoln, RI 02865   Salary: per contract**

**z. Susan White   To: Teacher Assistant - HS**

**108 Lakeland Road   Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006  
Cranston, RI 02910   Salary: per contract**

**aa. Carmel Mendoza   To: Teacher Assistant - HS**

**139 Old Main Street   Effective: July 5, 2006 to August 11, 2006  
Manville, RI 02838   Salary: per contract**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zito. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

### **Department Head Appointment**

**a. Jim Dempsey   To: SPED Coordinator/Department Head**

**9 Conch Road   Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Narragansett, RI 02882   Salary: \$4,315**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Robson. All in favor.**

**Motion carried.**

**Fall Coaching Appointments**

**a. Victor Alves    To: Boys' Soccer Head Coach - HS  
333 River Road    Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$4,426**

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**b. Bethany Bedossian    To: Girls' Soccer Head Coach - HS  
56 Lindy Avenue    Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Providence, RI 02908    Salary: \$4,426**

**c. Susan Carlson    To: Girls' Cross Country Head Coach -HS  
2 Beverly Drive    Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$2,563**

**d. Sean Cavanaugh    To: Assistant Varsity Football Coach - HS  
4 Ashley Drive    Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$3,206**

**e. Cris Conti To: Boys' Soccer Assistant Coach - HS**  
**71 Ridge Road Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY**  
**Smithfield, RI 02917 Salary: \$2,913**

**f. Paul Dalpe To: Football Head Coach - HS**  
**33 Old Meadow Lane Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY**  
**Cumberland, RI 02864 Salary: \$4,810**

**g. Beth Halliwell To: Girls' Volleyball Head Coach - HS**  
**84 Buxton Street Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY**  
**North Smithfield, RI 02896 Salary: \$2,751**

**h. Brenda King To: Girls' Field Hockey Assistant Coach - HS**  
**5 Michael Drive Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY**  
**Lincoln, RI 02865 Salary: \$2,480**

**i. John Menna To: Boys' Cross Country Head Coach - HS**  
**160 Natick Avenue Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY**  
**Cranston, RI 02921 Salary: \$2,563**

**k. Erin Metivier To: Girls' Field Hockey Head Coach – HS (Pending)**  
  
**1 Louise Ann Dr. Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY**  
**Smithfield, RI 02917 Salary: \$4,427**

**j. Judy Rush    To: Girls' Tennis Head Coach – HS  
454 River Road    Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$2,679**

**k. Maria Ruzzano    To: Girls' Tennis Assistant Coach – HS  
17 Foxwood Drive    Effective: 2006 – 2007 SY  
Lincoln, RI 02865    Salary: \$2,155**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zito. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

**Rescind Letter**

**a. Carol Michaud    To: .6 Guidance - HS  
683 Greenville Road    Effective:  
North Smithfield, RI 02896**

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**b. Jim Lindley To: 1.0 Self-Contained - High School  
1836 Old Louisquisset Pike Effective:  
Lincoln, RI 02865**

**c. Patrick Hanley To: Business Teacher  
6 Scott Drive Effective:  
Riverside, RI 02915**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

### **Rescind Appointment**

**c. D. Jayson Schofield From: Summer School Director 2005/2006 SY  
59 Essex Street  
Cranston, RI 02910**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

### **Informational Only**

**a. Patricia Dubois To: Secretary II – HS  
1000 Lower River Road From: Teacher Assistant  
Lincoln, RI 02865 Effective: August 31, 2006**

**Salary: Per Contract**

**b. John Stevens To: Senior Accounting Technician**

**41 Becker Avenue From: Accounting Technician**

**East Providence, RI 02915 Effective: June 13, 2006**

**Salary: \$21.69/\$22.11**

**Bid Award**

**2006 – 2007 Electricity Bid**

**Lori Miller read into the minutes that TransCanada is the lowest and responsive and responsible bidder as recommended by our consultant, James Grasso. Rates not effective to new middle school. 8.9¢ is a little high. Weiss would like to know what the .4 tenths of a cent represents. Miller to look into. She recommends that the contract for electricity supply from July 1, 2006 through June 30, 2007 be awarded to TransCanada Power at a cost of \$.09305kWh. Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Roll. All in favor. Motion carried.**

**Expense Warrants**

**Capital Reserve Fund**

**Invoices for Payment**

<b>010 Operating Budget</b>	<b>\$ 95.00</b>
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<b>Total 2005 – 2006</b>	<b>\$ 95.00</b>
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**TOTAL** **\$ 95.00**

**Grand Total Invoices** **\$ 95.00**

**Motion by St. Germain to approve. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor.**  
**Motion carried.**

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**EXPENSE WARRANTS – 6/12/06**

**Invoices Paid in Advance** **\$ 0**

**Invoices for Payment**

**010 Operating Budget** **\$ 897,697.28**

**019 Professional Development** **\$ 1,757.82**

**802 Tuitions ELC Preschool** **\$ 441.88**



804 USF Grant	\$	2,398.52
818 RI Med. Assistance	\$	260.00
825 Title I	\$	2,925.00
866 Title II	\$	715.05
868 Perkins Grant	\$	942.25
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>907,137.80</b>

**Grand Total Invoices           \$ 907,137.80**

**Motion by St. Germaini to approve. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor.  
Motion carried.**

**Salary/Expense Warrants**

School Payroll (Local Budget) 5/11/06	\$1,023,114.18	School Payroll (Local Budget) 5/11/06	\$ 1,010,056.26
Perkins Grant (867,868)	\$	Perkins Grant	\$
Literacy	\$ 8,837.91	Literacy	\$ 8,837.91
Professional Development	\$	Professional Development	792.95
	1,194.31		
Athletics	\$	SALT Regents Fellow	\$
Class Size Reduction 815	\$ 5,394.23	Athletics	\$
Title I 825	\$ 19,547.14	Class Size Reduction	\$ 5,394.23
Title II 866	\$	Title I	\$ 10,366.66
IDEA Part B	\$ 30,981.74	Title II	\$
Tuitions-ELC Preschool	\$	IDEA Part B	\$ 32,335.08
Preschool Sec. 619	\$	High School Reform	\$ 1,120.00

**Zangari asked for a motion to reopen the Approval of Minutes for the May 15, 2006 Open Meeting. Seconded by St. Germain. All in favor. Motion carried. Zangari motioned to add, on page 2, seconded paragraph from bottom, “we expect”. Seconded by Roll. All in favor.**

**Motion carried.**

**New Business – None**

### **School Committee Reports**

**Zito said because we have half of our principals here tonight, she and Betty have undertaken the task of looking at our After School Program. She has a questionnaire that will be going out to all of the principals. She would like to get a big picture of what everyone is doing across the board.**

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### **Community Comments**

**MaryAnn McComiskey wished best wishes to our retirees. She is disappointed on the Committee's decision to eliminate the grade 1 position at FELC, she appreciates the willingness of the School Committee and Superintendent to be willing to revisit that decision. She would like the guidelines to be clear as how they come about with their decision.**

**Carol McCourt would like to know what the magic number is for the**

**School Committee to revisit opening the grade 1 classroom at NELC.**

**Motion by St. Germain to recess to Executive Session. Seconded by Zangari. All in favor. Motion carried.**

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**JOHN ZANGARI, CLERK      DATE**